

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Yoji Kawamoto et al.  
Serial No.:  
Filed :  
For : NETWORK SYSTEM, TERMINAL  
DEVICE AND NETWORK SERVER

March 3, 2000  
1185 Avenue of the Americas  
New York, NY 10036  
(212) 278-0400

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the initial examination of the above-identified application, Applicants respectfully requests that the application be amended as follows.

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 23, line 14, delete "been";  
line 20, delete "been".  
Page 35, line 17, delete "been";  
line 21, delete "been".

IN THE ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

line 2, change "capable of specifying" to --specify-